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Preliminary Classification:

Proposed Class:  
Subclass:

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Washington, D.C. 20231

NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Yong Y. Hwang

For (title): Oil Treatment System

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTIONS 1.8(a) AND 1.10\*  
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**1. Type of Application**

This transmittal is for a continuation-in-part application.

**2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application (35 U.S.C. Sections 119(e), 120, or 121)**

The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application. Enclosed are  
ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S.  
APPLICATION CLAIMED.

**3. Papers Enclosed**

- A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design)  
Application

17 Page(s) of Specification

5 Page(s) of Claims

8 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s) Formal/Informal

- B. Other Papers Enclosed

1 Page(s) of abstract

**4. Declaration or Oath**

Not Enclosed.

Application is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.41(c) on  
behalf of the above-named inventor.

**5. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**6. Language**

English

**7. Assignment**

An assignment of the invention to Stein.DSI will follow.

**8. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED						
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$710.00	
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	28	- 20 =	8 x	\$18.00	\$18.00	
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	- 3 =	0 x	\$80.00	\$0.00	
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00	
Filing Fee Calculation						\$728.00

**9. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Not Enclosed

No filing fee is to be paid at this time.

**10. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 15-0450.

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)

**11. Instructions as to Overpayment**

Refund.

**ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF  
PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED**

**12. Relate Back**

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line, the following sentence:

**A. 35 U.S.C. Sections 120, 121 and 365(c)**

"This application is a continuation-in-part of copending application:

Application number 09/233,241 filed on January 19, 1999.

**13. Maintenance of Copendency of Prior Application**

**A. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time in Prior Application**

A conditional petition for extension of time is being filed in the pending **prior** application.

A **copy** of the conditional petition filed in the prior application is attached.

**14. Further Inventorship Statement Where Benefit of Prior Application(s) Claimed**

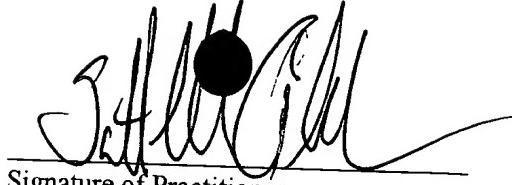
a. This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application whose particulars are set out above and the inventor in this application is the same.

**15. Abandonment of Prior Application**

Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending, or when the petition for extension of time or to revive in that application is granted, and when this application is granted a filing date, so as to make this application copending with said prior application.

**16. NOTIFICATION IN PARENT APPLICATION OF THIS FILING**

A notification of the filing of this continuation-in-part is being filed in the parent application, from which this application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. Section 120.



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**COPY****PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Hwang, Yong Y.

Application No.: 09/233,241      Group No.: 1723  
 Filed: January 19, 1999      Examiner: Savage, M.  
 For: Oil Treatment System

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents**  
**Washington D.C. 20231**

**NOTIFICATION OF FILING OF CONTINUING, DIVISIONAL  
OR CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION**

Notification is hereby being made of the filing of a continuation-in-part application for this case concurrently herewith.

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(Notification of Filing of Continuing, Divisional or Continued Prosecution Application--page 2 of 2)

## **COMPLETION FEES**

### **III.**

#### **1. Filing Fee**

Original patent application  
(37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a)) \$710.00

#### **2. Fee for Claims**

Each claim in excess of 20  
(37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(c)) \$144.00

#### **3. Surcharge Fees**

Late payment of filing fee  
and/or late filing of original  
declaration or oath  
(37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e)) \$130.00

#### **4. Assignment (See "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET")**

\$40.00

Total Completion Fees \$1,024.00

## **EXTENSION OF TIME**

**IV.** The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

## **TOTAL FEE DUE**

**V.** The total fee due is:

Completion fees \$1,024.00  
Extension fee (if any) \$0.00

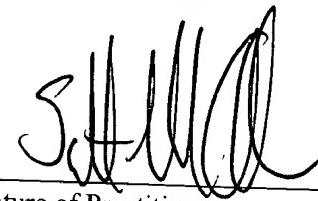
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## **PAYMENT OF FEES**

(Completion of Filing Requirements--Nonprovisional Application--page 2 of 3)

VI. Enclosed is a check in the amount of 1,024.00.

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